

# BECOME A MEMBER



Join us and as a member you will receive a membership card good for discounts at local businesses (including bike shops!), our email newsletter, a Bike Lakewood sticker, and you will be helping us transform Lakewood into a safer place to ride a bike.

**TO JOIN ONLINE, VISIT**  
**[BikeCleveland.org/BikeLakewood](http://BikeCleveland.org/BikeLakewood)**

Bike Lakewood is a chapter of Bike Cleveland, the region's advocacy organization, working for safer streets for your rides that go beyond Lakewood. By joining Bike Cleveland and selecting the Bike Lakewood Chapter you become a full member of both groups!

## LAKEWOOD BUSINESS MEMBERS



## RIDES AND EVENTS

- ⚙ Bikes and Bands (April)
- ⚙ Bike to Work Day (May)
- ⚙ Bike to School Day (May)
- ⚙ Bike for Beck (May)
- ⚙ Kidical Mass (May and August)
- ⚙ Bike Lakewood Social (September)
- ⚙ Social Rides (Seasonally)

Visit us online for details:  
[Facebook.com/groups/BIKELKWD](https://Facebook.com/groups/BIKELKWD)  
[BikeCleveland.org/BikeLakewood](http://BikeCleveland.org/BikeLakewood)

## LAKEWOOD BIKE SHOPS

**Beat Cycles**  
15608 Detroit Ave  
440.799.8788

**Spin Bike Shop**  
14515 Madison Ave  
216.521.SPIN (7746)

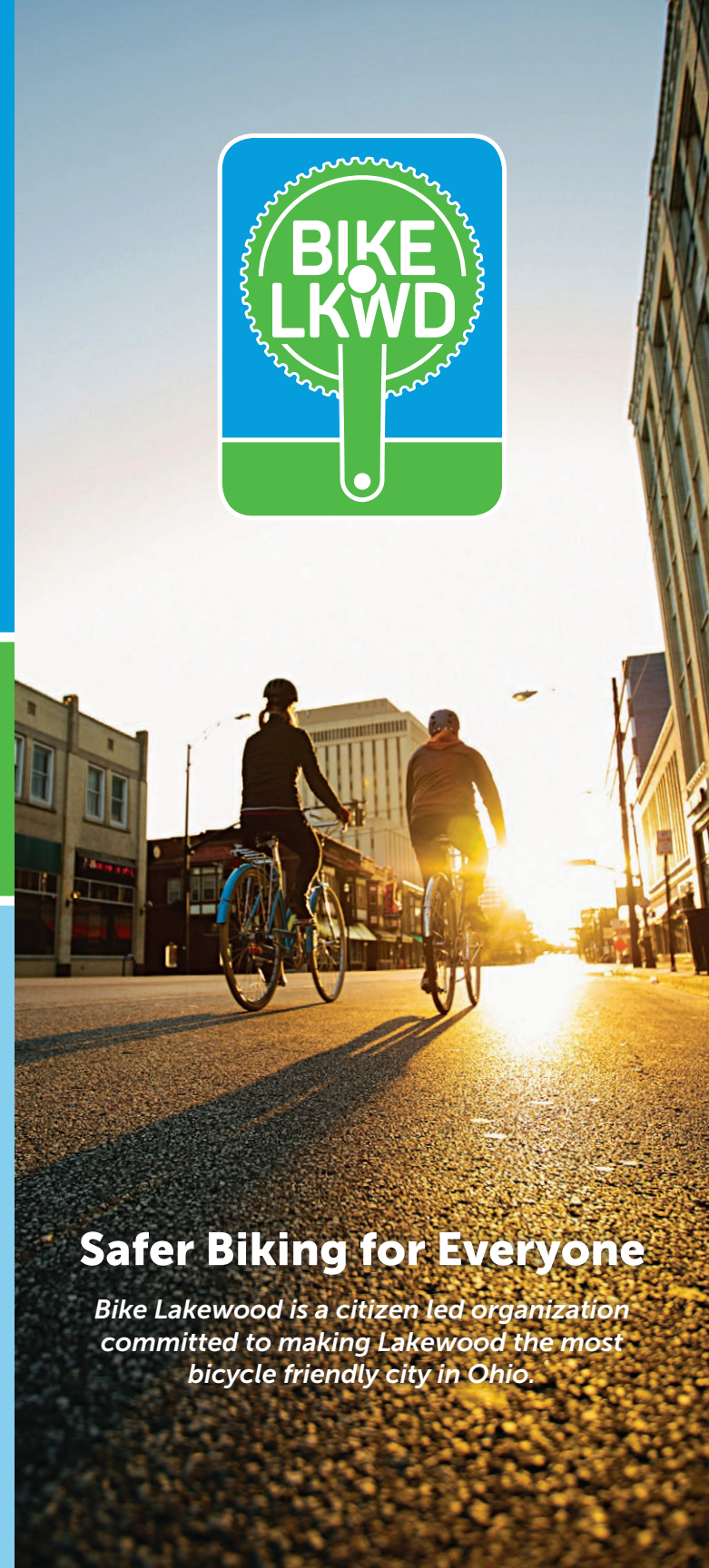


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## Safer Biking for Everyone

*Bike Lakewood is a citizen led organization committed to making Lakewood the most bicycle friendly city in Ohio.*



**A community where it is safe and convenient to ride a bike is a good place to live for everyone.**

## WHO WE ARE

Bike Lakewood is a resident-led advocacy group for people who bike in Lakewood and is a chapter of Bike Cleveland.

## WHAT WE DO

Bike Lakewood advocates to make our community a place where all people can safely and conveniently ride a bike to a park, school, library, restaurant, grocery store or anywhere else.

We strive to promote cycling awareness through education on local laws, maintenance checks, and safe riding practices through our promotional materials and outreach programs.

Lakewood has the potential to become one of the country's most bicycle friendly communities, but more planning and investment are needed to make riding a bike for recreation and transportation truly accessible to all.

Bike Lakewood's goal is for our community to have a safe and complete network of stress-free bicycle facilities that are accessible to all.

**Bike to School Day**

**Bike to Work Day**

**Government Outreach**

**Protected Bike Lanes and Bike Network Advocacy**

**Biking in Lakewood Yearly Survey**

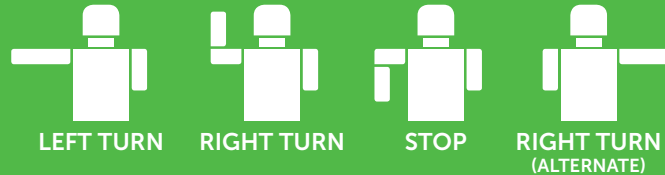
**Social Rides**

**Kidical Mass**

*For more information join our Facebook page at [Facebook.com/BIKELKWD](https://www.facebook.com/BIKELKWD) and check out our page at [BikeCleveland.org/BikeLakewood](https://www.bikecleveland.org/BikeLakewood)*

## READY TO RIDE

- ✓ Adults should ride on the street. Let pedestrians rule the sidewalk.
- ✓ Ride with the flow of traffic (same direction).
- ✓ Ride to the right side of the road, but far enough from parked cars to avoid any car doors that suddenly open.
- ✓ Take the lane when cars cannot pass safely.
- ✓ Obey traffic laws. Follow all traffic signs, signals and lane markings.
- ✓ Be predictable. Ride in a straight line, not in and out of cars. Use hand signals.



## LAKEWOOD BICYCLE LAWS 101

- ✓ Every person riding a bicycle upon a street shall follow all laws applicable to the driver of a vehicle.
- ✓ Every person riding a bicycle upon a sidewalk shall be granted all of the rights and duties applicable to a pedestrian.
- ✗ No person shall operate a bicycle on a sidewalk at a speed greater than an ordinary walk.
- ✓ Cyclists yield the right of way to any pedestrian and shall give audible signal before passing.
- ✗ Persons riding bicycles upon a roadway shall ride not more than two abreast in a single lane.
- ✓ Every bicycle from sunset to sunrise shall be equipped with:
  - ⚙ A white flashing or steady light mounted on the front of the bicycle.
  - ⚙ A red flashing light and a red reflector on the rear of the bicycle.
  - ⚙ Every bicycle shall be equipped with an adequate brake when used on a street.
- ✗ Whenever any minor under the age of eighteen years operates a bicycle or motorized bicycle in violation, the bicycle may be seized by any member of the Police Department and impounded.
- ✗ No person under the age of eighteen shall operate a bicycle within the City unless the person is wearing a protective helmet on their head, with the chin strap fastened under the chin.

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- Individual Member ..... \$35
- Household Member (2 adults, 1 residence) ..... \$60
- Student / Limited Income Member ..... \$20
- Extended Member  
(includes two year membership and t-shirt) ..... \$70  
Size (circle one) S M L XL 2XL

For business membership levels visit [BikeCleveland.org](https://www.bikecleveland.org)

### ■ JOIN BIKE LAKEWOOD CHAPTER

Make an additional donation above your membership: \$

Purchase a Bike Lakewood T-Shirt with your membership ..... \$20

Size (circle one) S M L XL 2XL

TOTAL \$

MEMBER NAME

SECOND MEMBER NAME (HOUSEHOLD ONLY)

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

PHONE

MEMBER EMAIL

SECOND MEMBER EMAIL (HOUSEHOLD ONLY)

CREDIT CARD: ☐ VISA ☐ MC ☐ DISCOVER ☐ AMEX

☐ CHECK: Payable to Bike Cleveland

NAME ON CARD

ADDRESS (if different from above)

CARD NUMBER

EXP DATE

CVC CODE

SIGNATURE

**Mail completed form and payment info to:**  
**Bike Cleveland, PO Box 609718, Cleveland, OH 44109**

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